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In re Application No. 10/059,586  
Hermann D. Funke

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR CONTROLLING AN IMPLANTABLE MEDICAL DEVICE IN RESPONSE TO THE  
PRESENCE OF A MAGNETIC FIELD AND/OR HIGH FREQUENCY RADIATION INTERFERENCE SIGNALS

Serial No.: 10/059,586

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The Commissioner is authorized to charge the surcharge of \$130.00, as well as any deficiencies, and credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 13-2546.

Respectfully submitted,

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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
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